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## RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION EXPEDITED PROCEDURE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 **EXAMINING GROUP 1640**

**PATENT** 

Attorney Docket No. 02481.1597

## Attorney Docket No. IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Johann ERTL et al.	)
Application No.: 09/099,307	) Group Art Unit: 1646
Filed: June 18, 1998	) Examiner: C. SAOUD
For: NOVEL INSULIN DERIVATIVES HAVING A RAPID ONSET OF ACTION	
TRANSMITTA	AL LETTER
Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231	
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Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of February 28, 2000.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	64	-	62	2	x \$ 18	\$ 36.00
Indep.	1	-	1	0	x \$ 78	
[ ] First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s) +\$260						
Subtotal						
Reduction by ½ if small entity						
TOTAL						

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A fee of \$36.900 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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Date September 21, 2000

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